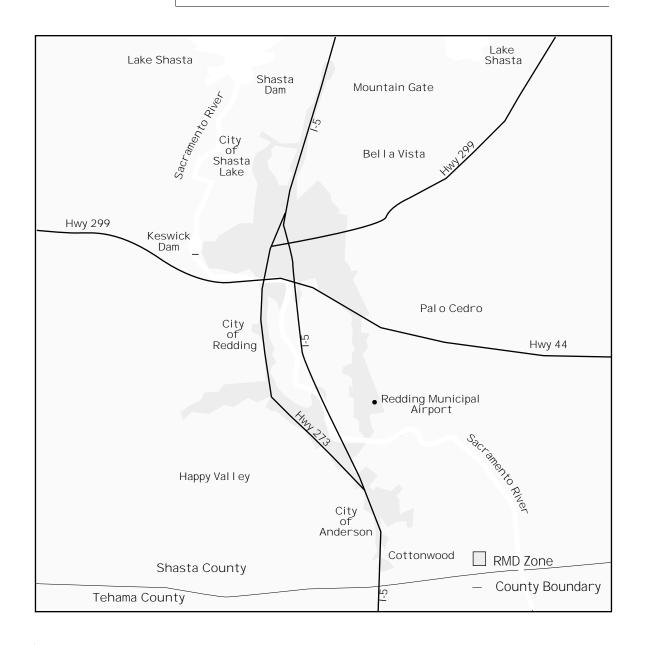


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# SHASTA METRO RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE



# **ZONE INFORMATION**

The Shasta Metro Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ) was created through an interjurisdictional agreement between the County of Shasta and the cities of Anderson, Redding, and Shasta Lake. The zone boundaries encompass over 50 square miles along the I-5 corridor, equidistant between Seattle and Los Angeles. Anchored by the City of Redding, with a population of 80,000, this area has developed as a center of trade for Northern California, and has been recognized as a prime location for entrepreneurs, industry relocations and expansions. The RMDZ boundaries also overlay the Shasta Metro Enterprise Zone, California's largest such zone.

# PROGRAM INFORMATION

California Recycling Market Development Zones are designated by the Integrated Waste Management Board. The Board offers low-interest loans up to \$1 million, technical assistance on financing strategies, and assistance in marketing zones nationally and internationally. For more information on this program and other market development programs, contact the Board's Recycling Business Assistance Branch at (916) 255-1000.

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### TARGET MATERIALS

The Shasta Metro Recycling Market Development Zone is targeting plastics, yard waste, mixed paper/OCC, glass, tires, and construction waste.

#### **INFRASTRUCTURE**

A new \$10 million City of Redding resource recovery facility recycles the largest amount of material in the Northern California region. This facility, together with transportation arterials, rail and air service, and developed industrial parks provide the infrastructure that supports the 51.1 square mile zone, which includes 5700 acres of industrial-zoned property.

The metro area along I-5 is the hub for medical, professional, retail, government, and manufacturing, and combines an unmatched quality of life and positive business environment.

#### **BUSINESS INCENTIVES**

Companies considering locating or expanding in the RMDZ can take advantage of a number of incentive programs offered by the jurisdictions, including Enterprise Zone tax credits, personal property tax rebates, job credits, fee deferrals, traffic impact fee waivers, revolving loan funds, electric incentive rates, industrial development bonds, and redevelopment and financing incentives.

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